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January 17, 2003

Mr. Daniel V. Gulino
Senior Vice President & General Counsel
Ridgewood Power Management LLC
947 Linwood Avenue
Ridgewood, NJ 07450

RE: RPS Eligibility Decision
Johnston Landfill [LG-1020-02]

Dear Mr. Gulino,

On behalf of the Division of Energy Resources (the Division), I am pleased to inform you that your Application for Statement of Qualification pursuant to the Massachusetts Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard (RPS) Regulations, 225 CMR 14.00, is hereby approved. The Division finds that the Generation Unit meets the requirements for eligibility as a New Renewable Generation Unit pursuant to 225 CMR 14.05. Qualification of this Generation Unit is, however, subject to the following provisions:

- 1 The Generation Unit's Historical Generation Rate is determined to be 86,901 MWh.

Each Massachusetts New Renewable Generation Unit is assigned a unique Massachusetts RPS Identification Number (MA RPS ID#). The MA RPS ID # stated on the Statement of Qualification must be included in all correspondence with the Division. Johnston Landfill's MA RPS ID# is: LG-1020-02.

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The Division wishes to remind you of the notification requirements for changes in eligibility status contained in 225 CMR 14.06(3). The Owner or Operator of the Generation Unit shall submit notification of such changes to the Division no later than five days following the end of the month during which such changes were implemented.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Sydney", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Robert Sydney
General Counsel

Encl.(1): Statement of Qualification

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
OFFICE OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND BUSINESS REGULATION
DIVISION OF ENERGY RESOURCES
Statement of Qualification**

**Pursuant to the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard
225 CMR 14.00**

This Statement of Qualification, provided by the Massachusetts Division of Energy Resources, signifies that the Generation Unit identified below meets the requirements for eligibility as a New Renewable Generation Unit, pursuant to the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard 225 CMR 14.05, as of the approval date of the Application for Statement of Qualification, this 17th day of January, 2003.

Authorized Representative's Name and Address:

Mr. Daniel V. Gulino
Senior Vice President & General Counsel
Ridgewood Power Management LLC
947 Linwood Avenue
Ridgewood, NJ 07450

Name of Generation Unit:

Johnston Landfill

Qualification of this Generation Unit is subject to the following provisions:

The Generation Unit's Historical Generation Rate is determined to be 86,901 MWh.

ISO-NE Generation Unit Asset Identification Number or NE-GIS Identification Number:

0451

This New Renewable Generation Unit is assigned a unique Massachusetts RPS Identification Number. Please include MA RPS ID #s on all correspondence with the Division.

MA RPS ID #: LG-1020-02

Pursuant to 225 CMR 14.06, the Owner or Operator of the New Renewable Generation Unit is responsible for notifying the Division of any change in eligibility status, and the Division may suspend or revoke this Statement of Qualification if the Owner or Operator of a New Renewable Generation Unit fails to comply with 225 CMR 14.00.



Date: January 17, 2003

Robert Sydney
General Counsel
Division of Energy Resources